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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Mark H. PAUSCH *et al.*

Application No.: 09/786,033

Filed: July 3, 2001

For: METHODS OF IMPROVING THE
FUNCTION OF HETEROLOGOUS
G PROTEIN-COUPLED
RECEPTORS

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) Group Art Unit: 1646

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) Examiner: M. T. Brannock

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) Confirmation No.: 5078

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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the Office action mailed June 14, 2005. A fee of \$1,020.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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